

CORRECTED FISCAL NOTE

HB 2731 - SB 2901

February 10, 2004

SUMMARY OF BILL: Exempts any resident of Tennessee under the age of 18 from providing the resident's social security number in order to obtain a temporary or permanent license for hunting or fishing.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

On January 28, 2004, we issued a fiscal note on this bill indicating an estimated impact of *increase state expenditures - \$10,000 one-time/Wildlife Resources Fund*. Based on additional information provided by the Department of Human Services, the estimated fiscal impact is as follows:

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Increase State Expenditures - \$10,000 One-Time/Wildlife Resources Fund


Other Fiscal Impact - Jeopardizes federal funding of \$44,000,000 received under the block grant for the Child Support Program and \$213,000,000 received under the block grant for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program (Families First).

Assumes a one-time cost to the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency for computer changes. Currently social security numbers of all license buyers are captured under the *dead-beat parent* state and federal statutes.

Implementation of the bill would place Tennessee in violation of federal requirements of both the Child Support and Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Programs. The state is required by federal law to gather and utilize social security numbers in the operation of these programs.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director

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